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Sir:

With the filing of the Application, the undersigned filed a Claim For Priority Under 35 USC Section 119 (hereinafter "the Claim For Priority").

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Applicants hereby claim foreign priority under Title 35, United States Code, 119, to German Patent Application No. 100 57 755.5, filed November 22, 2000. The certified copy of German Patent Application Serial No. 100 57 755.5 was included with the original filing of the above referenced Application on November 20, 2001.

A photocopy of the first page of the certified copy of the priority document is enclosed herewith. Applicants believe no fee is due; however, you are authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-3848 if any fees are due in connection with this filing.

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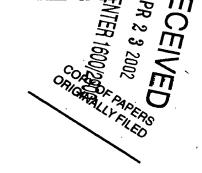
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Die angehefteten Stücke sind eine richtige und genaue Wiedergabe der ursprünglichen Unterlagen dieser Patentanmeldung.

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